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Docket No.: 20103/030082

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Inventors: Steven A. Wright et al.

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Assymetric Ethernet Service"

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